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ELIZABETH TO THAT OF GEORGE II., 1588-1728, RELATING
TO THE LANGTON FAMILY FORMERLY SEATED AT LOW
HALL, HINDLEY.

The Langtons were a Leicestershire Family who succeeded to the Barony of Newton-in-Makerfield through intermarriage in the 14th century with the Banastre Family, first Barons of Newton. Low Hall, Hindley, now a farm house, and used as a kind of barn and store-house for agricultural implements, was the seat of the Langtons until the eighteenth century, when, Edward Langton of Low dying without issue, the estate was inherited in 1733 by a nephew named William Pugh. In 1765 the Low Hall Estate, the Manor of Hindley, a certain reserved rent, and the minerals under Rigby's tenement near Hindley Green, were conveyed for a consideration of £6,650 to the Duke of Bridgewater, whose trustees now hold the lordship.

A Member of the Langton Family, Ivo (or John) de Langton was admitted Rector of Wigan in 1334; and Richard Langton, who succeeded Nicholas Towneley as Rector in 1532, was the last of his name of whom there were no less than eight, who had held the living.
—Baines' History of Lancashire. vol. 4.

LANGTON DEEDS.—*continued.*

THE DEEDS, WHICH ARE TWENTY-TWO IN NUMBER, ARE GIVEN IN A MUCH CONTRACTED FORM BELOW :—

Year.

- 1588 ? Indenture between Rauffe Ellyson of Hyndley, yeoman and Henry Ellyson, yeoman and brother of the said Rauffe and Phillippe Langton of the Lowe.
- 1588 ? Another Deed in Latin also relating to R. Ellison and Philip Langton.
1595. Indenture between Thurstan Anderton of Berchley, gentelman and Edwardde Woode of Hyndley, yoman.
1595. Indenture between Phillippe Langton and Edward Woode, yoman and sarvant to the said Phillippe Langton.
1600. Agreement made between Phillippe Langton and Henry Launce of Abraham, gentleman and Marie Abraham, wife of Thomas Abraham, gentleman.
1610. Indenture between Alexander Standishe of Duxburie. Esq., and Phillippe Langton.
1611. Latin Deed relating to Maria Abrame de Abram and Philip Langton.
1654. Indenture between John Wyldman, of the Cittie of Westminster, Esq. and Henry Eltonhead of the Middle Temple, gentleman and Phillipp Langton. 2 copies.
1654. Deed of conveyance from Henry Eltonhead to Phillip Langton, Abraham Launce of Abram, Thomas Molyneux of Abram, Henry Edward of Newton-in-Makerfeild and Thomas Cheetham of Hindley.
1662. Indenture between George Waite the elder of Layborne in Yorks., gent., and George Waite the younger and Abraham Langton.

Year.

1668. Indenture between Abraham Langton and Phillip Langton, son, and Thomas Culcheth of Culcheth, Esq. 2 copies.
1677. Indenture between Richard Wood of Hindley, badger, and Phillip Langton and Thomas Aspull of Hindley, yeoman.
1681. Indenture between Phillip Langton and John Hodson of Ince, taylor.
1693. Indenture between Phillip Langton and Edward Langton, son, and James Cheetham, of Hindley, yeoman.
1695. Indenture between Philip Langton and Edward Langton, son, and Thurstan Snape of Westleigh, husbandman.
1698. Indenture between Edward Langton and James Cheetham of Hindley, yeoman and Elizabeth Mather, widow, and Nicholas Mather of Wigan.
1714. Indenture between Edward Langton and Edward Cross of Hindley, labourer.
1719. Indenture between Edward Langton and William Aspull of Hindley, shoemaker.
1721. Indenture between Edward Langton and George Turton of Hindley, fustian weaver.
1728. Indenture between James Snape of Hindley, yeoman, eldest son of Thurstan Snape, late of Westleigh, and Henry Smith, of the same place, yeoman and Edward Langton.

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“A sympathetic and expert survey by a Non-Socialist.”—*Bliss*.
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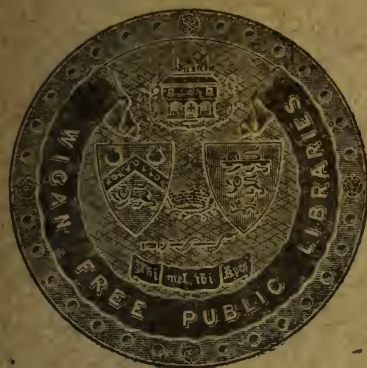
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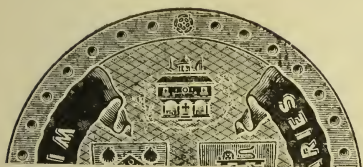
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- Eagle and Child, and Royal Hotel. 1826. Water colour. [Whitehouse.]
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 — The same, photographed from an old print. (W. Rigg, del.; J. H. Le Keux, sc.) [Wigan Streets, etc.]
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- Grammar School, present. 1898. [Cooper's Local Views.]
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 — Pied Bull, with premises erected by Thomas Whitehouse and part of the New Town Hall. 1826. Water colour. [Whitehouse.]
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 A village story of the Great Civil War time, having little to do with those great events. The central figure is a gay and whimsical jester, whose pleasantries are quenched by the cold atmosphere of Puritanism. His life and death are a pathetic story.
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 An autobiographical novel of a Cavalier, giving a picture of the Royalist downfall that should be read in conjunction with Scott's *Woodstock*. (C.943.) It shows the Roundheads in just the same offensive light, as confiscating the goods of so-called malignants, for their own benefit, and represents the Puritans as snuffing hypocrites. That fine king's officer, Goring, and the Parliamentarian, Ireton, are vigorously portrayed.
- Commonwealth Times.*
- Martineau (Harriet) *The Settlers at Home* C.843; B.851
Dutch settlers in Bedford Level.
- 1629-49. Dumas (Alexandre) *Twenty Years After* C.5739; B.1479
Assassination of Buckingham, Execution of Charles I.
- Brereton (F. S.) *In the King's Service* P.F.614; B.1129
Cromwell's Invasion of Ireland.
- 1650-1. Green (E. Everett) *After Worcester* C.13250
- Ainsworth (W. Harrison) *Boscobel; or, the Royal Oak*.. C.6549
Prince Charles's escape after Worcester.
- Ainsworth (W. Harrison) *Ovingdean Grange* C.14, 5549
1652. Scott (Sir Walter) *Woodstock; or, The Cavalier* C.943, 5965, 6713,
 P.F.195
 A Royalist picture of the domination of the Parliament. The romantic plot has for theme the love of a brave and generous Roundhead for the daughter of the keeper of Woodstock Park; and his considerate behaviour when Charles comes as a fugitive after Worcester secures him the bride. Desborough, Harrison, Bletson, and Cromwell himself are introduced. The history quite untrustworthy.

- 1650-60. Caine (Hall) *The Shadow of a Crime* C.8303 ; P.F.831

A romance of Cumberland in the early days of the Quakers. Theme—renunciation on the grand scale. A false suspicion of murder threatens a dalesman's family with ruin, and to save his loved ones he avows the crime, though innocent. He is saved on the very scaffold by the confession of the real murderer.

- 1642-60. Pollard (Eliza F.) *The Last of the Cliffords* P.F.1119

The siege of Skipton Castle, Charles I. and II., Falkland, Prince Rupert, Elizabeth of Bohemia, Gen. Lambert, etc.

- Smith (Horace) *Brambletye House ; or, Cavaliers and Roundheads* C.970

An antiquarian romance written in imitation of Scott. Introduces historic personages and events profusely, even inserting passages from Defoe's *History of the Plague*.

Reign of Charles II.

- 1665-6. Manning (Anne) *Cherry and Violet : a story of the Plague* C.819

- Hoare (*Rev. E. N.*) *The Brave Men of Eyam* B.1905

The Plague in a Derbyshire village near Chatsworth.

- Barrett (Frank) *A Set of Rogues* C.10986

The rogues belong to a company of strolling players, driven from London by the plague.

- Pemberton (Max) *A Puritan's Wife* C.11359

Adventures at the time of the Plague.

- 1665-6. Ainsworth (W. Harrison) *Old St. Paul's* . . . C.12, 5548 ; B.10

History of a London Grocer and his family during the Plague and the Fire ; rich in local and historical colour.

- 1665-6. Everett-Green (E.) *A Lad of London Town* P.F.1193

Great Plague and Fire of London.

- 1666-83. Robinson (E.) *Whitefriars ; or, The Court of Charles II.* C.913 ; B.116

Popish Plot, Rye House Plot, and the attempt to assassinate the King. Restoration of London—Alsatia, the thieves' paradise : Titus Oates, Col. Blood, Shaftesbury, Buckingham, Charles II., and Claude Duval. A glowing tableau of the Great Fire gives the keynote to this long descriptive romance, in which every outstanding person and event of the period has due place.

1667. Moore (Frank Frankfort) *Nell Gwyn, Comedian* C.13201

Court life in Restoration times, the chief parts being sustained by Nell Gwyn, Lady Castlemaine, the Duchess of Portsmouth, Sir Charles Sedley, and Jack Churchill, afterwards Duke of Marlborough.

- 1669-70. Blissent (Nellie K.) *The Silver Key* C.12522 ; P.F.852

France and England ; Charles II. and his sister Henrietta.

1678. Scott (*Sir* Walter) *Pevril of the Peak*. C.8134 ; P.F.186 ; B.137, 405

The historical basis of the story is the bogus conspiracy of the Papists, revealed by Titus Oates : the hero's father is threatened with denunciation. The Peak of Derbyshire, the Isle of Man, and London are the scenes of the various incidents ; and among the historic personages are Charles II., his favourite, the Duke of Buckingham, the Countess of Derby, and Queen of Man (whose participation brings in a great deal of Manx lore), Col. Blood, and some of the obscurer ministers of the King's debaucheries.

1680. "Hope (Anthony)" *pseud.* Simon Dale..... C.11781
An amusing fantasia, sketching Restoration manners. The hero, a country squire, is the king's rival for the favours of Nell Gwyn.
1682. "Lyall (Edna)" *pseud.* In the Golden Days..... C.8242
A tale chiefly concerned with the home life of Algernon Sydney at Knowle Park, in "good King Charles's golden days."
- 1680-90. Bailey (H. C.) Beaujeu P.F.507
Adventures, love-scenes, political intrigue, etc., in James II.'s reign.
- Bunyan (John) The Pilgrim's Progress C.182; P.F.110; B.22
Religious allegory. The country life of Charles II.'s time.
- Clare (Austin) The Carved Cartoon..... B.675

Reign of James II.

- 1673-87. Blackmore (R. D.) Lorna Doone C.160, 3641, 5582; P.F.24; B.392
A romance of Exmoor in Stuart times. The hero, one of Blackmore's stalwart yeomen, simple and rude, but staunch and chivalrous, rescues the captive Lorna from the robber Doones. Lorna's beautiful nature, humorous Tom Faggus, the terrible brigand, Carver Doone, and the historical figure of Judge Jeffreys, are among the characters, all drawn with a peculiar kindness.
- 1662-88. Besant (*Sir* Walter) For Faith and Freedom C.8879
A story of the Puritans in James II.'s reign, dealing with Monmouth's rebellion, the expulsion of the Recusants, and the life of the exiles in the plantations of Barbadoes.
- 1678-85. Gould (S. Baring-) Urith: a Tale of Dartmoor C.9510
Turns partly on Monmouth's rebellion (1685); full of stormy incident and acts of passion and malice; the scenery and antiquities of the moor, and the manners and customs that reigned among the ragged inhabitants, are delineated with antiquarian knowledge.
1685. Doyle (A. Conan) Micah Clarke C.8918
Told by a humble adherent of the Duke of Monmouth—the whole story of the rising in Somerset, the triumphant advance towards Bristol and Bath, and the tragic rout at Sedgemoor (1685). A rattling story of fights and adventures. Robert Ferguson, Monmouth, and Judge Jeffreys appear.
1685. Ellis (Beth) Barbara Winslow, Rebel..... C.14365; P.F.1140
A tale of the "Bloody Assizes" of Judge Jeffreys. Barbara, a perfect spitfire, helps two rebels to escape, and is herself accused before Judge Jeffreys, whom she browbeats as ably as he could do it himself. A pathetic account of the frightful tortures meted out to the Somerset peasants.
- 1685-8. Mason (A. E. W.) The Courtship of Morrice Buckler. C.11132; P.F.774
A semi-historical romance after the style of Dumas. Opens tragically with a story of Monmouth's rebellion (1685), and passes, with episodes of exciting and unexpected incident, from England to the Tyrol. The heroine is Tyrolese.
1688. Campbell (G. M. Vere) "Majorie Bowen," God and the King C.9717
Story of the Revolution in England.

Reign of William and Mary.

1689. "Lyall (Edna)" *pseud.* Hope the Hermit. C.12116 ; P.F.321, F.838
A lovely story of Cumberland, concerned with Jacobite plots.
- 1673-91. Couch (A. T. Quiller-) The Blue Pavillions C.9530
Harwich and Holland, chiefly in the year 1691—a crowded episode in a young man's life. The villain is an adventurer who has dealings with all parties, including King James at St. Germain's; King William and the future Duke of Marlborough appear in some humorous scenes.
1696. Yeoman (W. J.) A Woman's Courier C.11888
Fenwick and Charnock's Jacobite plot.
1696. Lindsay (Harry) The Jacobite..... C.12023 ; P.F.446
A Romance of the Conspiracy of the forty, Fenwick and Charnock's plot.
- 1688-1713. Weyman (Stanley J.) Shrewsbury..... C.11666 ; B.1002
Deals with the inner history of Sir John Fenwick's Jacobite plot, and with other incidents of the English Revolution, and the subsequent years. Many of the characters are cowards, bullies, and scoundrels, *e.g.*, Robert Ferguson, "the Plotter," and the informer Matt Smith; but the famous Duke of Shrewsbury is more attractively portrayed.
- 1696-7. James (G. P. R.) The King's Highway; or, In the Age of William III. C.6881
The conspiracy of Fenwick, Barkley, and Charnock. The king and the Duke of Berwick well portrayed. Jacobite plots, attempts to abduct, and highway robberies.
- 1690-1720. Burnett (*Mrs.* Hodgson) A Lady of Quality..... C.11090
Supposed to be written in the 17th century. The heroine is a character of extraordinary energy and egoism.
- Burnett (*Mrs.* Hodgson) His Grace of Osmonde C.11634
Sequel. The story of the Lady of Quality's husband: the end of the 17th and the beginning of the 18th centuries furnish scenery, costumes, and manners.
1683. Burton (J. Blundelle-) The Hispaniola Plate C.10850
Story of the loss of Hispaniola plate off San Domingo at the end of the 17th century and of the search for and recovery of it in the 19th century through the discovery of a manuscript.
- 1670-80. "Rhoscomyl (Owen)" *pseud.* The Jewel of Ynys Galon B.152
Welsh piracy; Sir Henry Morgan the Buccaneer.
- Kingston (W. H. G.) John Deane..... C.6910
1698. Burton (J. Blundelle-) A Gentleman Adventurer C.10906, 11648
"A Story of Panama," founded on the history of the famous project for seizing Panama from the Spaniards in 1698; an exciting tale of buccaneering exploits.

SCOTLAND.

- 1601-11. Crockett (S. R.) The Grey Man C.11212 ; P.F.305
A story of the deadly feuds of Galloway just after the Reformation. The murder of Sir Thomas Kennedy of Culzean—the Ayrshire Tragedy—and the events leading up to it, are historical, as well as the figures of the murderous villain, John Mure of Anchendrayne, and his son. A tale of incessant fighting, treachery, and family brawls, told by a conceited young Scot.

- 1632-51. Grant (James) *Harry Ogilvie ; or, The Black Dragoons* C.418
A Royalist story of the Great Civil War. Scotch politics and religious feuds, the Solemn League and Covenant, invasion of England, coronation of Charles II. at Scone, the battle of Inverkeithing, and the sack of Dundee.
- 1642-5. Munro (Neil) *John Splendid : the Tale of a poor Gentleman, and the Little Wars of Lorn* C.12028
A study of that elusive thing the Highland character; the hero a typical Gael, akin to Stevenson's Alan Breck. Scene laid in Inverary and the Argyleshire Highlands. Describes the household of the Marquis of Argyle, and the war with the Royalists under the Marquis of Montrose. Battle of Inverlochy described, and character of Argyle portrayed.
- 1644-5. Stewart (John A.) *The Red Reaper* C.13128 ; P.F.483
A Royalist romance of Montrose's campaigns from Tippermuir to Philiphaugh, with the Marquis himself as central figure, and Argyle as his foil. The obverse of the picture in the above story.
- 1645-6. Scott (*Sir* Walter) *A Legend of Montrose* C.932 ; P.F.175 ; B.127
A brief romance, dealing with the operations of the Royalists under Montrose in the Highlands in 1645-46, and embodying the singular history of the young Earl of Menzies; the facts much modified for romantic purposes.
- Smith (*Mrs.* Fowler) *Journal of the Lady Beatrix Graham*
C.3278, 10445
Montrose and the Covenant.
- Crockett (S. R.) *The Cherry Ribband* C.14651
Loves of a Covenanter's son and a girl in the camp of the persecutors. A characteristic story of Galloway.
1679. Scott (*Sir* Walter) *Old Mortality* C.5955, P.F.185 ; B.136
Old Mortality was a real person, who devoted himself to cleaning the gravestones of the martyrs of the Covenant, and from him Scott obtained much of his information. The outbreak of the Covenanters in 1679 is represented with most sympathy for the other side, Grahame of Claverhouse, the scourge of the Covenanters, being portrayed in a very favourable manner—a sharp contrast to Macaulay's version of him. This is one of the novels in which Scott freely displays his intimate knowledge of village life in Scotland, and his powers of delineating the characters of humble folk. The murder of Archbishop Sharpe is one of the early incidents.
- 1679-80. Crockett (S. R.) *The Men of Moss-Hags* C.10925
Tales and episodes of the persecuted Covenanters under the Scourge of Claverhouse—the obverse of that painted by Scott in "Old Mortality."
- 1685-90. Crockett (S. R.) *The Standard Bearer* C.11756
The scene is laid in the wilds of Galloway and in Edinburgh, under James II. and William II. The struggles and persecutions of the Covenanters form the central motive of a characteristically robust story.
1688. Crockett (S. R.) *Lochinvar* C.11607
Adventures of the famous ballad-hero in the service of William of Orange, and in Scotland after the English Revolution. Battles, plots, escapes, adventures among the Western Isles.
1689. Grant (James) *The Scottish Cavalier* C.467 ; B.66
Battle of Killiecrankie.
1695. Scott (*Sir* Walter) *The Bride of Lammermoor* .C.5945 ; P.F.176
The most tragic of Scott's romances. Scene : East Lothian.

IRELAND.

1649. Moore (Frank Frankfort) *Castle Omeragh* C.10360
 County Clare during Cromwell's campaign of vengeance for the massacre in 1641. Begins with the Drogheda massacre, and ends with the repulse by General O'Neill at Clonmel. A Royalist romance, put in the mouth of a Quaker, who exaggerates the barbarity of the Roundheads.
- Breterton (*Captain F. S.*) *In the King's Service* B.1129
 Cromwellian wars in Ireland.
- McCarthy (Justin) *The O'Flynn* C.8482
 William of Orange and the Stuart Cause in Ireland.
- McCarthy (Justin) *King over the Water* C.4089
 Jacobite romance.
- Pickering (Edgar) *True to the Watchword* B.1258
 Siege of Derry.
- 1689-91. Henty (G. A.) *Orange and Green*..... C.8404
 A Tale of the Boyne and Limerick.
- 1689-91. Bamin (John) *Boyne Water* C.138
 One of the *Tales of the O'Hara family*. A strong, realistic story, by one who knew the peasants, because he was one of themselves. Excellent descriptions of the battle of the Boyne and the siege of Limerick.

BRITISH COLONIES.

CANADA.

1660. Catherwood (Mary H.) *The Romance of Dollard* C.8896
 Story of Canada under the reign of Louis XIV. The chief characters of the tale—except the heroine—were actual men and women—Huron, Annahotaha, Jouaneaux, the sisters Brésoles, Macé, and Maillet are all genuine historical personages. Dollard, with a band of Hurons, repulsed a horde of Iroquois invading New France.
- Doyle (A. Conan) *The Refugees* C.10332
 France and Canada.
1687. Merwin (Samuel) *The Road to Frontenac* C.13, 337
 Story of the French occupation of Canada.
1697. Besant (*Sir* Walter) and Rice (James) *Le Chien d'or. In*
 " 'Twas in Trafalgar's Bay," etc..... C.6488, 6846

INDIA.

1657. Taylor (*Col.* Meadows) *Tara*..... C.1061
 Illustrates the remarkable epoch of 1657, when the Mahrattas cast off their allegiance, rose to power under Siwajee, and defeated the Army of Beejapoor. The personages are all natives, and the manners, customs, and turbulent conditions of the land are carefully reproduced.

AMERICA.

1698. Burton (J. Bloundelle-) *A Gentleman Adventurer* C.11648

THE UNITED STATES.

1620. Austin (*Mrs.* J. A.) *Standish of Standish* C.10848
A tale of the pilgrims of Plymouth Colony and of Miles Standish, one of the early heroes.
- Munroe (Kirk) *Longfeather the Peacemaker* B.1326
1650. Hawthorne (Nathaniel) *The Scarlet Letter* C.557, 3674; P.F.267
One of the great moral tragedies of fiction. The Puritans in Massachusetts.
- Catherwood (*Mrs.*) *The Romance of Dollard, etc.* C.8896
- 1675-6. Cooper (J. Fennimore) *The Wept of the Wish-Ton-Wish* C.8822
War of King Philip of Pokanoket.
1680. Dickson (Harris) *The Black Wolf's Breed* C.14678
The warrior-hero is a French captain who served under Bienville, governor of Louisiana, during the latter days of Louis XIV., shortly after La Salle had made his memorable voyage down the Mississippi, and thus sowed the seeds of the mighty quarrel which culminated in the Seven Years' War. The story is mainly laid in Louisiana, but sometimes moves to Versailles and Paris; it gives a good idea of frontier life in a new European settlement among the Indians.
1682. Wilkins (Mary E.) *The Heart's Highway* C.8943; P.F.1299
An historical romance, dealing with Virginia under Charles II., and the tobacco riots after Nathaniel Bacon's rebellion.
- 1689-90. Bynner (E. L.) *The Begum's Daughter* C.9447
A tale of New Amsterdam in 1689; the episode of the Leisler rebellion in New York admirably told.

AUSTRIA AND HUNGARY.

1650. Jokai (Maurus) *Pretty Michal* C.10017
A grim and sinister narrative of extraordinary incidents said to be founded on fact; both exciting and pathetic. Scene: Kassa, in Northern Hungary.
1666. Jokai (Maurus) *'Midst the Wild Carpathians*..... C.13239
A romance of Transylvania and the struggle with the Turks; very picturesque in its spectacle of semi-barbaric life and the scenery of mountain and forest. Deals with the elevation of Apafi, a country gentleman, to the throne, by a whim of the Sultan.
- 1674-90. Jokai (Maurus) *The Slaves of the Padishah* C.14605
"The Turks in Hungary," being the Sequel to "*Midst the Wild Carpathians*." Like the latter, centres in Michael Apafi, last independent prince of Transylvania; and his Machiavellian minister, Michael Teleki, Beldi, Kucsuk, Feriz, Azrael, etc., reappear. A most exciting tale of a tumultuous period, and, it is affirmed, not a bit exaggerated.
- Jokai (Maurus) *Tales from Jokai*..... C.14694; P.F.740
Characteristically trenchant, fantastic, and grim. The *Bad Old Times* gives one a terrible idea of the times of the 'Tartar invasion.' "The Red Starosta" is a grisly story of an inherited curse.

1688. Jokai (Maurus) Told by the Death's Head C.14333 ; P.F.634
The skull of a malefactor relates all his crimes and experiences. An excellent picture of the times by virtue of the wealth of minute learning poured out.

- 1685-88. Mason (A. E. W.) The Courtship of Morrice Buckler. .C.11132 ;
P.F.774

FRANCE.

Reign of Louis XIII.

- 1610-43. Gautier (Théophile) Captain Fracasse C.7250, 11795
(*Le Capitaine Fracasse*). A reconstruction of life and manners in the time of Louis XIII. (1610-43), representing the dress, customs, and castles of the nobility, the streets of Poitiers, Paris, and other cities.

- 1610-30. Barr (Robert) Cardillac C.11438
Louis XIII. and Marie de Médicis, and the story of their banishment and imprisonment.

- 1610-43. Hayens (Herbert) The Bravest Gentleman in France..P.F.1072
A tale of war and adventure in the days of Louis XIII.

- 1626-8. Dumas (Alexandre) Three Musketeers C.5738 ; P.F.51, F.286 ; B.1478
With the two following forms a cycle of three romances, of which the exploits of four heroes from youth to age are the principal subject, while a magnificent panorama of contemporary history is presented (1626-71). Indeed, the various romances of Alexandre Dumas, read in succession, form a fairly continuous history of French affairs ; they are generally accurate in detail, and the historical portraits are, as a rule, fairly truthful. In the present romance the feud between Richelieu and Anne of Austria bulks large, and the adventures of three guardsmen with their redoubtable and versatile Gascon comrade, D'Artafgan, are often intimately connected with affairs of State (1626-28). Political intrigue, court life, duelling, and fighting form the substance of the chronicle.

- 1648-9. Dumas (Alexandre) Twenty Years After C.5739 ; P.F.614 ; B.1479
The period is that of Anne of Austria's regency, the insurrection of the Fronde, and the execution of Charles I. of England (1649). The chief actors are the same incomparable four. Both France and England are the scenes of these adventures, and some historical licence is used in connecting the French heroes with the fate of the Stuart king. Buckingham's assassination (1628) by Felton is worked in.

- 1660-71. Dumas (Alexandre) The Vicomte de Bragelonne ; or,
Ten Years Later C.297, 298, 299, 300

Contains the great closing scenes in the lives of the four musketeers. Period 1660-71 ; that of Mazarin's ministry and the early days of the Grand Monarque. A full account of the court life and the great personages of this epoch, and of State affairs ; and while as before, facts and fiction are mingled, the historical characters, the life of the period, and the actual events are presented with accuracy. Mazarin and the king are prominent characters, and much romantic interest attaches to Mlle. de la Valliere, the tender-hearted mistress of Louis XIV. ; Madame de Montespan, Fouquet, and Colbert, the great rival ministers of finance ; the Man in the Iron Mask, and other famous persons appear among the characters.

- Weyman (Stanley J.) *Under the Red Robe* C.10605
 An adventurer of bad character is sent on a treacherous mission by Richelieu; but falls in love with the sister of the man he has to betray. He redeems his character by liberating the prisoner, and giving himself up to the Cardinal. Béarn supplies the locality and the scenery
1637. Weyman (Stanley J.) *The Man in Black* C.10499
 A brief and clever story of adventure and intrigue in Louis XIII.'s time (1637).
1642. James (G. P. R.) *Richelieu* C.6316; P.F.863
 The inner history of the ill-fated conspiracy of Cinq-Mars, and of the events leading up to the fall of Richelieu; incorporated with a story of court intrigue. Louis XIII., Anne of Austria, and the Cardinal, are drawn with care and learning. St. Germain, Paris, the Bastille, are the principal scenes.
1642. Vigny (Alfred Victor, *Comte de*) *Cinq-Mars* C.1098
 The subject is a conspiracy against Cardinal Richelieu in the reign of Louis XIII. Cinq-Mars was the leader, and the king's brother, with many of the nobility, was engaged in it.
- Reign of Louis XIV.*
- MacGrath (Harold) *The Grey Cloak* C.14510
 Scenes: Paris in Mazarin's time, and Canada.
- 1642-8. James (G. P. R.) *John Marston Hall; or, The Little Ball of Fire* C.6880, 7878
 A sequel to *Henry Masterton* (C.6877). The dazzling career of a conceited young Scot, during the plots and battles of the New Fronde; related by himself. Condé Turenne, Mazarin, and Anne of Austria, are among the historical portraits.
- 1642-55. Melville (G. J. Whyte-) *Sister Louise; or, The Story of a Woman's Repentance*..... C.795
- 1648-53. Yonge (Charlotte M.) *Stray Pearls* C.7529, 8172
 War of the Fronde. Sequel to *The Chaplet of Pearls* (C.6021).
- 1665-76. Smith (Albert) *The Marchioness of Brinvilliers*..... C.976
 Story of the notorious poisoner.
- Doyle (*Sir* A. Conan) *The Refugees; a tale of two Continents*..... C.10332
 A Huguenot romance in the reign of Louis XIV. There is a favourable portrait of Madame de Maintenon.
1680. Dickson (Harris) *The Black Wolf's Breed* C.14678
 Burton (J. Bloundelle-) *The Clash of Arms* P.F.607
 Wars of Turenne; Duke of Marlborough, etc.
- Orczy (*Barqness*) *Petticoat Government*. C.7186
 Louis XIV. and the French Court.
1685. James (G. P. R.) *The Huguenot* C.585
 Love and persecution in Poitou at the time of Dragonnades and revocation of the Edict of Nantes. Intrigues of ministers and favourites at the Court of the Grand Monarque; the crafty Louvois, bigoted Madame de Maintenon, Bossuet, and Marshal Schemberg. The horrors of the Bastille,

GERMANY.

- 1619-20. James (G. P. R.) Heidelberg; or, the Winter-King C.584, 7873
 The first part of a glowing picture of Heidelberg, the Rhine, and the Neckar, and the gorgeous court of Frederick V., Elector Palatine, the "Winter King." The last is a narrative of his disasters as King of Bohemia, the battle of the Weissenberg, the fall of Prague, and the sack of Heidelberg. His wife, Elizabeth, daughter of James I. of England, and ancestress of the Hanoverian line, is a tragic figure.
- 1628-9. Meinhold (W.) Mary Schweidler, the Amber Witch C.5469
 "The most interesting trial for witchcraft ever known." Pomerania in the torments of the Thirty Years' War is a grim theatre for the ordeals of the pastor and his daughter, and a gruesome atmosphere of superstition and diabolism pervades it.
- 1630-4. Henty (G. A.) The Lion of the North B.284
 A tale of the Scots and Gustavus Adolphus.
1632. Weyman (Stanley J.) My Lady Rotha C.10622
 Opens in Thuringia during the Thirty Years' War, descriptions of strife and adventure portray the hideous devastation and demoralisation of Germany overrun by mercenaries and thieves.
- 1632-48. Defoe (Daniel) Memoirs of a Cavalier C.5324
 Crockett (S. R.) The Red Axe..... C.13053
 A sensational story of the wild and lawless dukes of the Wolfmark in the Germany of the Thirty Years' War.

ITALY.

1600. Pemberton (Max) Signors of the Night..... C.12267
 Adventures in Venice, time of Fra Paolo Sarpi.
- 1628-30. Manzoni (Alessandro) The Betrothed C.5357, 8248
 (*I Promessi Sposi*). The greatest of Italian romances. Milan and the shores of Lake Como are the scenes at the time of the Spanish domination in the 17th century. Milan in the agonies of famine and pestilence is an impressive episode. Affords a faithful picture of life in Italy.
- 1622-85. Shorthouse (J. H.) John Inglesant C.6509

THE NETHERLANDS, INCLUDING BELGIUM.

- 1672-5. Dumas (Alexandre) The Black Tulip..... C.3653, 5718, 6573
 A love romance, with which are interwoven scenes from Dutch history, when William of Orange lent himself to the agitation directed against the brothers De Witt, the patriotic defenders of Dutch liberty. The Haarlem tulip craze is the theme of some of the episodes.
- 1632-77. Auerbach (Berthold) Spinoza: the Life of a Thinker C.6483
 (*Dichter und Kaufmann*). An idealising study of the man and the philosopher, in the form of a novel by a Jew who likewise had embraced Christian philosophy. It gives the cardinal events of Spinoza's life; the Spanish persecutions, his love for a Christian girl, excommunication from the Synagogue, etc., together with the essence of his philosophy, in conversations that reproduce verbally the *Ethics* and *Tractatus*.

1672. Campbell (*Mrs. G. V.*) "*Marjorie Bowen.*" *I Will Maintain* C.9686

With the two following forms a trilogy of romances dealing with William of Orange, his efforts for the Freedom of the Netherlands from French persecution, his attempt to obtain England's support by marriage with James II.'s daughter, Mary, and his final acceptance of the English Crown.

- Campbell (*Mrs. G. V.*) "*Marjorie Bowen.*" *Defender of the Faith* C.2627

Sequel to above. Prince of Orange is recognised as the champion of the Protestants in Europe.

1688. Campbell (*Mrs. G. V.*) "*Marjorie Bowen.*" *God and the King* C.9717

Sequel to above. Story of the English Revolution in 1688, and the landing of William at Torbay.

POLAND.

- 1647-1751. Sienkiewicz (*Henryk*) *With Fire and Sword* C.9307

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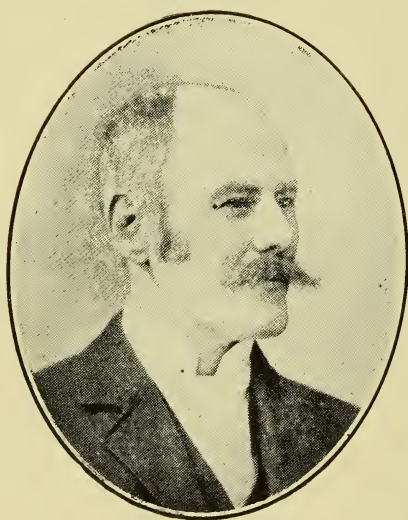
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- Daniel DerondaC.380, 5744; P.F.765
 Describes the general character, mode of life and
 manners of the middle-class people in our provin-
 cial towns during the middle of the 19th century.
- Zangwill (Israel) The Mantle of ElijahP.F.820
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 Novabarba difficulty, which affords opportunity
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- Roberts (Morley) A Son of EmpireP.F. 328
 Portrait of a strenuous soldier and explorer, with the
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- Henty (G. A.) With the Allies to PekingP.F.1159

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 The Annals may be taken as typical of the series.
 It depicts the characters of an Ayrshire village,
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 A love story of Galloway in the time of the Disrup-
 tion of the Scottish Kirk.

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POPULATION OF THE BOROUGH OF WIGAN, 1911 CENSUS, 89,171.
ESTIMATED 1913, 91,177.

POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT USING THE LIBRARIES, 205,802.

AREA OF THE BOROUGH, 5,082 ACRES.

RATEABLE VALUE OF THE BOROUGH, £348,216.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES ACTS ADOPTED, OCTOBER, 1876.

FIRST LIBRARY COMMITTEE APPOINTED, 1877.

FIRST LIBRARIAN APPOINTED, NOVEMBER, 1877.

LIBRARY OPENED, MAY, 1878.

EXTENSION OF NEWS ROOM OPENED, APRIL, 1895.

POWELL BOYS' LIBRARY AND READING ROOM OPENED, APRIL, 1895.

DELIVERY STATION, WOODHOUSE LANE, OPENED, NOVEMBER, 1896.

ELECTRIC LIGHT INSTALLATION, MARCH, 1900.

CONFERMENT OF THE FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH ON THE RIGHT HON. THE
26TH EARL OF CRAWFORD, K.T. (CHAIRMAN OF THE LIBRARIES
COMMITTEE), AND CELEBRATION OF THE 21ST ANNI-
VERSARY OF THE LIBRARY, OCTOBER, 1900.

TWO DELIVERY STATIONS, HIGHER AND LOWER INCE, OPENED,
JULY, 1901.

URBAN DISTRICT OF PEMBERTON ADDED TO THE COUNTY BOROUGH
OF WIGAN, 1904.

GIFT OF £5,000 FROM DR. CARNEGIE FOR THE ERECTION OF A BRANCH
LIBRARY AT PEMBERTON, ACCEPTED, JULY, 1905.

GIFT OF £400 FROM THE EARL OF ELLESMERE TOWARDS THE PURCHASE OF
A SITE FOR THE BRANCH LIBRARY AT PEMBERTON, ACCEPTED,
OCTOBER, 1905.

LAYING OF THE FOUNDATION STONE OF THE PEMBERTON BRANCH LIBRARY
(CARNEGIE GIFT), BY THE MAYORESS (MRS. HUGH ROSS).
SEPTEMBER, 1906.

DELIVERY STATION, PLATT BRIDGE, OPENED, NOVEMBER, 1906.

OPENING OF THE PEMBERTON BRANCH LIBRARY (CARNEGIE GIFT), BY
LORD BALCARRES, M.P., DECEMBER 11TH, 1907.

CONFERMENT OF THE FREEDOM OF THE BOROUGH ON DR. ANDREW CARNEGIE,
MAY 29TH. 1909.



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SUMMARY

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LIBRARIAN'S THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

I have the honour to present my Thirty-Fifth Annual Report.

Exclusive of Pamphlets, there are now in the Libraries 77,200 volumes, as compared with 75,778 volumes at the corresponding period of last year. The Central Reference Library has been open 299 days. The number of volumes consulted in the Reference Library during the year amounted to 41,187, an increase of 545 volumes. The number of books issued to borrowers in possession of Students' Tickets has greatly increased, the number of volumes issued amounted to 5,732, the net increase on the previous year being 2,233 volumes, a very gratifying result of the year's work, marking in no small degree the importance and usefulness of the educational activities of the Library, and the appreciation by the students, many of whom are working colliers, of the facilities granted to them by the Committee.

There has been a falling off in the issues of the Lending Department, which is no doubt due to the great increase in the Reference Library, and the facilities now offered for cheap amusement in the town, the effects of which are being felt all over the country. The number of volumes issued amounted to 76,141, a decrease of 7,818. The decrease is mainly in the class fiction, which is not a very serious matter when we take into consideration the large increase of a better class of books in the Reference Library and the fact that during the year the new additions to this Department have been very few in comparison with previous years, owing to the state of the Library finances. There is no doubt that many people have stopped using their tickets because of this fact.

The Newsrooms have been open 363 days, and the Sunday attendances amounted to 21,475. The bookcase in the Newsroom has been greatly appreciated, the estimated number of volumes consulted amounting to 45,000.

Although the issues generally have decreased, there has been an increase in the issues of new tickets. There were 1,644 new tickets, including renewals, granted to borrowers during the year, as against 1,591 last year, an increase of 53. The number of tickets in force amounts to 7,026, this is excluding all expired tickets, a number of which are still in use.

Students' tickets were granted to 253 new borrowers, bringing the number now in force up to 1,166. Subscription tickets were granted to three new outside borrowers during the year on the payment of the usual fee, and three tickets were renewed.

PEMBERTON BRANCH LIBRARY.

The statistics from this department show a decrease of 1,402 volumes in the Lending Library, and a decrease of 120 volumes in the Reference Library; the issues amounting to 19,601 volumes in the former and 8,324 volumes in the latter. The comparative figures for the last four years are: 1909, 14,229; 1910, 27,951; 1911, 29,447; 1912, 27,925. It will be seen that the issues are about normal.

POWELL BOYS' LIBRARY.

The number of boys who attended during the year amounted to 48,902, and the number of books issued to them 61,939. The girls' attendances registered 18,705, and the issues to them 25,520; the totals being, boys' and girls' attendances, 66,797; books issued to them 87,459. The number of books borrowed for home reading amounted to 17,201 volumes, and the number of new tickets granted to 598.

DELIVERY STATIONS.

At the Woodhouse Lane Delivery Station the year's issues of books were 770, as against 1,006 last year. At the three Ince Delivery Stations the issues amounted to 5,668, an increase of 378 volumes. The Ince deliveries show a steady increase each year; the comparative figures for the last four years being: 1909, 3,890; 1910, 4,804; 1911, 5,290; 1912, 5,668.

The decreased income granted to the Library has much shackled the Committee in its purchase of desirable books. No incunabula have been added, and many second-hand books much wanted, could not be purchased. A brief enumeration of the more valuable works added to the Central Library is here given:—

Boulton's Practical Coal Mining, 1912. A well illustrated book in six vols. This work and a number of others on Mining and Surveying, were purchased in response to a deputation from the Students of the Technical College asking for this department of the Library to be brought more up-to-date. Sir Walter Besant's London City, 1910, full of maps and illustrations, a concluding volume of his great survey of London. Brownbill's and Farrer's Victoria History of the County of Lancaster, vol. 6, 1911, a continuation of the best authority on the subject. Bradbury's History of Old Sheffield Plate, 1912, with chronological list of makers' marks and numerous illustrations of specimens. The British Museum's Catalogue of Books printed in the xvth century, part 2, 1912, the continuation of a valuable work. Many other works presented by the Trustees deserve mention, but space forbids. The Catholic Encyclopædia, vols. 11-15, profusely illustrated, the completion

of the work. Courtney's Register of National Biography, vol. 3, 1912, also a completion. Frazer's *The Golden Bough*, part 5. *Spirits of the Corn and of the Wild*, 1912, the continuation of a much read philosophical work. Hasting's *Encyclopædia of Religion and Ethics*, vols. 4-5, 1912, the continuation of a valuable authority. An Illuminated Address on Vellum, presented to Mrs. Winnard in 1878, at the opening of the Wigan Free Public Library. This forms an important addition to our local division. Andrew Lang's *Shakespeare, Bacon, and the Great Unknown*, 1912, the most convincing book on the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy. Sir Sydney Lee's *Dictionary of National Biography*; second supplement, 3 vols., 1912. Lewis's *Descriptive Bibliography of the most important books in the English language relating to the art and history of Engraving and the Collecting of Prints*, 1912. Malden's *Victoria History of the County of Surrey*, vol. 1, 1902. All these Victorian Histories are large quarto volumes, illustrated with maps and plates. Page's *Victoria Histories of the Counties of Suffolk and Sussex*, vol. 1-2, 1905-11. Prior's and Gardner's *Mediæval Figure Sculpture in England*, 1912, a valuable monograph containing over eight hundred photographs. Shaw's *Story of Presbyterianism in Wigan*, with portraits and illustrations, 1912. Ward's *Life of John Henry, Cardinal Newman*, 2 vols., 1912, with portraits; based on his private journals and correspondence. Worlidge's *Select Collection of Drawings from curious Antique Gems*, in the possession of the nobility and gentry, 1768, a famous and rare work containing 180 plates of gems, most exquisitely engraved. In addition there have been fairly extensive augmentations to the Mining and Applied Science Divisions.

The Donations to the Library during the year were numerous. The following need special mention:—250 volumes of Parliamentary Papers, presented by Lady Powell, and a Collection of 45 Paintings, Etchings, and Drawings illustrative of Wigan and the District, presented by Dr. R. Prosser White, framed, glazed, and described at the Donor's expense. The pictures have been placed on the walls of the Central Newsrooms, and are much admired. Valuable donations were also received from the Trustees of the British Museum, and from the American, Canadian, South African, and Colonial Governments.

The use of the Assembly Hall at the Pemberton Library was granted by the Libraries Committee to the Pemberton Sick Nursing Association.

Letter S of the Reference Library Catalogue has been completed and published. It consists of 716 pages and of many thousand entries. A recent eulogistic criticism in the press remarks that the Wigan Catalogue is the largest issued by any Municipality working under the Libraries Acts. Letter T is now in progress, 50 pages have been printed, and it has arrived as far as the name Thomson.

The Annual Meeting of the Library Association was held at Liverpool in September last. Your Librarian attended, and was honoured by re-election as a member of the Council of the Association.

A visit to Haigh Hall was made by the Library Committee on October the 9th last, by invitation of the late Earl of Crawford. The treasures of the great library, the recently acquired Napoleonic prints and autographs, and the extensive gardens, were inspected. The Committee was much gratified and warmly expressed its thanks to Lord Crawford, and to Mr. A. G. E. Phillips, his Lordship's Librarian and his Staff, for their courtesy and hospitality.

The Committee desire to place on record with profound regret the death of its Chairman, the Earl of Crawford. Lord Crawford was unanimously appointed to the position in 1895-96. His services to the Library were almost incalculable. His own valuable donations, his influence as a Trustee of the British Museum in obtaining many more, his general bibliographical and practical advice, always readily given, his generosity and hospitality shown in the many visits to Haigh, can never be forgotten. Your Librarian may be permitted to add that his own long acquaintance with his Lordship has been in itself a liberal education.

HENRY T. FOLKARD,

Librarian.

Wigan,

20th February, 1913.

REFERENCE LIBRARY

CLASSIFIED LIST OF THE BOOKS ADDED TO THE REFERENCE LIBRARY FROM JANUARY TO MARCH, 1913.

Edited by EDITH LEA, *Assistant Librarian.*

GENERAL WORKS

- Gore's Directory of Liverpool and its environs. imp. 8vo. Liverpool, 1913.
 Kelly's Directory of Lancashire. imp. 8vo. Liverpool, 1913.
 Palmer (S.) Index to *The Times* Newspaper. Oct. to Dec. 1912. sm. 4to.
 Shepperton, 1913.
 Slater's Manchester, Salford and Suburban Directory. imp. 8vo. Manch.
 1913.

BIBLIOGRAPHY.

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 8vo. Lond. 1912.
 ——— Catalogue of Engraved British Portraits. vol. 3, L-R. 8vo. Lond.
 1912.
 ——— Catalogue of Printed Music published between 1487 and 1800.
 2 vols. 8vo. Lond. 1912.
 ——— Index to the Charters and Rolls. vol. 2. 8vo. Lond. 1912.
 Esdaile (A.) A List of English Tales and Prose Romances printed before
 1740. *Bibliographical Society*. sm. 4to. Lond. 1912.
 Gray (W. F.) Books that count: a dictionary of standard books. 8vo.
 Lond. 1912.
 Jordell (D.) Catalogue Général de la Librairie Française. vol. 23. pt. 3.
 8vo. Paris, 1912.
 Sparks (A.) Bibliotheca Boltoniensis, etc. 4to. Manch. 1913.
 A bibliography of Bolton Authors, 1550-1912; books about
 Bolton; and those printed and published in the Town from
 1785 to date.

PHILOSOPHY

THEOSOPHY.

- Maskelyne (J. N.) The Fraud of Modern "Theosophy" exposed. sm. 8vo.
 Lond. 1912.

MODERN PHILOSOPHERS.

- Mügge (M. A.) Friedrich Nietzsche. sm. 8vo. Lond. 1913.

RELIGION

Tisdall (W. S.) *Christianity and other Faiths: an essay in comparative religion.* 8vo. Lond. 1912.

Tunzelmann (G. W. E.) *God and the Universe: a physical basis for religion and ethics.* 8vo. Lond. 1912.

BIBLE.

Standish (J., D.D., *rector of Wigan*) *A Discourse whether the Scripture should be in English for al men to reade that wyll, etc.* 16mo. Lond. 1555.

DOCTRINAL.

Browne (D. G.) *Christ and His Age.* 8vo. Lond. 1913.

Stirling (J. F.) *An Atlas of the Life of Christ.* 8vo. Lond. [1913]

Thompson (J. M.) *Jesus according to St. Mark.* 8vo. Lond. [1909]

Tyrrell (G.) *Through Scylla and Charybdis: or, the Old Theology and the New.* 8vo. Lond. 1907.

CHRISTIAN CHURCHES AND SECTS.

Catholic Encyclopædia. vol. 15. Tournon-Zwirner. [*Illustrated.*] 4to. Lond. 1913.

Thureau-Dangin (P.) *Le Catholicisme en Angleterre au xixe siècle.* 8vo. Paris, 1909.

Tiffany (C. C.) *A History of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States.* 8vo. Lond. 1903.

Walsh (W.) *The Jesuits in Great Britain.* 8vo. Lond. 1903.

Westcott (B. F., *Bishop*) *Essays in the History of Religious Thought in the West.* 8vo. Lond. 1903.

The Myths of Plato.—The Dramatist as Prophet: Æschylus.—Dionysius the Areopagite.—Origen and the beginnings of Christian Philosophy.—On some points in Browning's view of life.—The relation of Christianity to Art.—Christianity as the absolute Religion.—Benjamin Whichcote.

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STATISTICS.

Census of England and Wales, 1911. vol. 4. Ecclesiastical Areas. fol. Lond. 1912.

POLITICAL SCIENCE.

Tolstoy (L., *Count*) *The End of the Age (on the approaching revolution;)* preceded by *The Crisis in Russia.* Translated by V. Tchertkoff and I. F. Mayo. 8vo. Lond. 1906.

"The end of the age does not signify the end of a century, but the end of one view of life, of one faith, of one method of social intercourse."—*Author.*

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- Correspondence respecting the International Conferences on Obscene Publications and the "White Slave Traffic." fol. Lond. 1912.
- County Councils, Municipal and Local Authorities Companion for 1913. 8vo. Lond. 1913.

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- Berry (T. W.) *The Pedagogy of Educational Handicraft.* sm. 8vo. Lond. [19-?]
- Board of Education. *Report for 1911 of the Medical Officer.* 8vo. Lond. 1912.
- Board of Education. *Special Reports on Educational Subjects.* vol. 26. 8vo. Lond. 1912.
- Teaching of Mathematics in the United Kingdom, part 1.
- Board of Education. *Statistics of Public Education.* part 2. *Financial Statistics, 1910-12.* 8vo. Lond. 1913.
- Hayward (F. H.) *Educational Administration and Criticism: a sequel to the "Holmes Circular."* With a preface by J. Adams. 8vo. Lond. [1912]
- Hewitson (W.) *Bury Grammar School, 1615-1913: the Head Masters and some others.* 8vo. Bury, 1913.
- Laurie (A. P.) *The Teacher's Encyclopædia. [Illustrated.]* 7 vols. 8vo. Lond. 1912.
- Thring (E.) *Teaching, Learning and Life.* 12mo. Lond. [19-?]
- Wigan Grammar School Magazine. vol. 1. sm. 4to. Wigan, 1909-12.

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- Spinks (W.) *The law and practice as to Paving of Private Streets.* 8vo. Lond. 1887.

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- Thomson (J. A.) *Introduction to Science. Home University Library.* sm. 8vo. Lond. 1912.

ASTRONOMY.

- Todd (Mabel L.) *Total Eclipses of the Sun. [Illustrated.]* sm. 8vo. Lond. 1894.

PHYSICS.

- Robb (A. A.) *A Theory of Time and Space.* 8vo. Camb. 1913.
- An investigation in connection with the physical phenomena of optics.

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 Thomas (H. H.) Garden Work for every day. [*Illustr.*] 8vo. Lond. 1913.
 Ward (C.) Royal Gardens; illustrated with colour reproductions and pen drawings by the author. 4to. Lond. 1910.

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- Sladen (F. W. L.) The Humble-Bee, its life history and how to domesticate it. [*Illustrated.*] 8vo. Lond. 1912.

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MEDICINE.

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 Fitzsimons (F. W.) Snake Bite and its scientific treatment. [*Illustrated.*] 8vo. Lond. 1913.
 Moullin (C. M.) The Bradshaw Lecture on the Biology of Tumours. 8vo. Lond. 1913.

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 Leston (G. L.) Land and Mining Surveying as applied to collieries and other mines. [*Illustrated.*] 8vo. Lond. 1913.

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 Carne (J. E.) The Tungsten-Mining Industry in New South Wales. [*Illustrations and maps.*] 8vo. Sydney, 1912.
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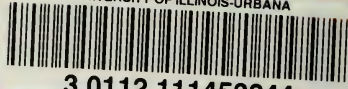
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